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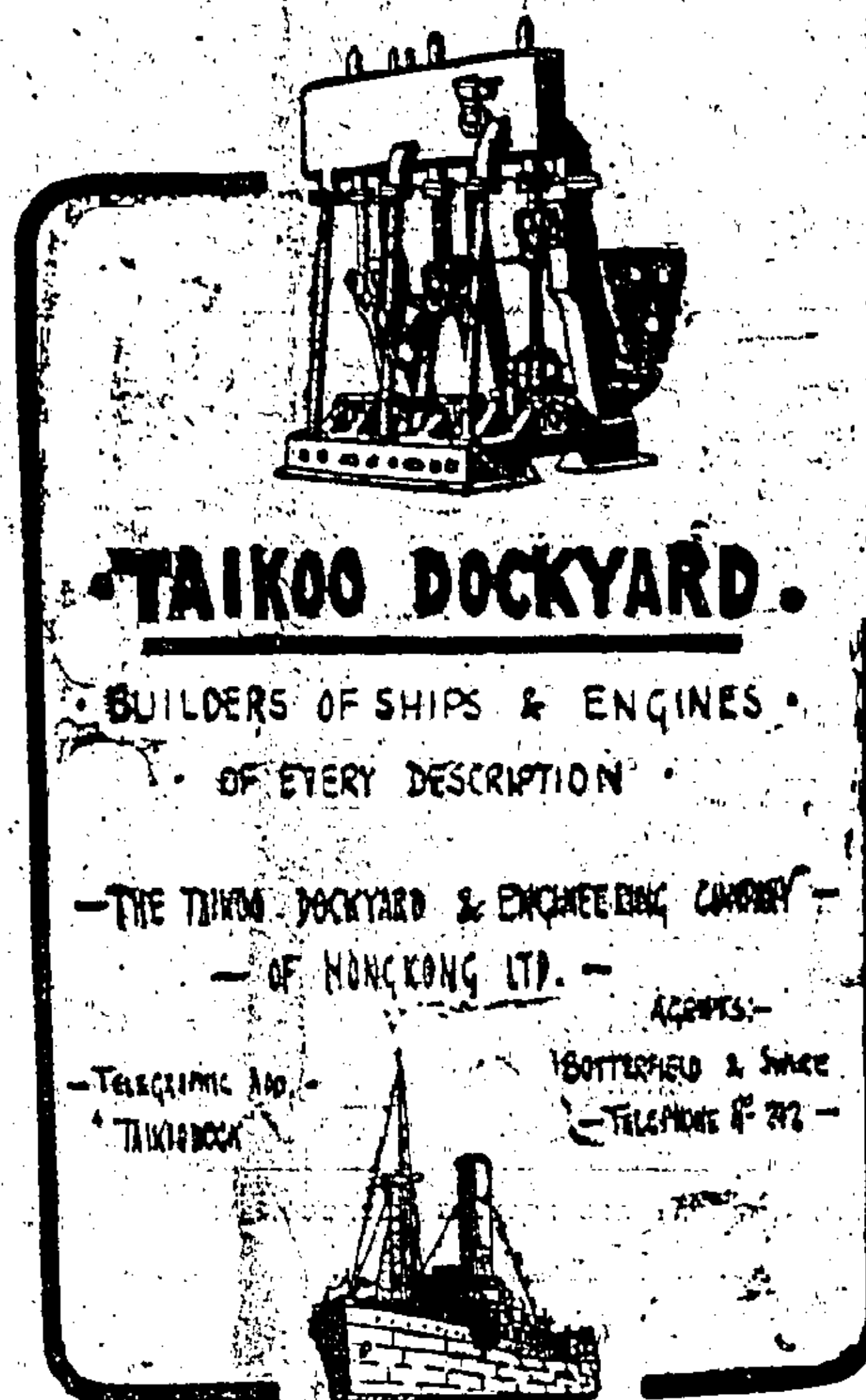
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## THE WAR.

### TO-DAY'S TELEGRAMS.

Reuter's Service to the China Mail.

#### ANOTHER LANSLOWNE LETTER.

AN ANALYSIS OF THE GERMAN  
ATTITUDE.

A PERCEPTIBLE ADVANCE  
IN DISCUSSION.

PLEA FOR AN INTIMATE  
MEETING.

LONDON, Mar. 5.

Lord Lansdowne has written  
another letter to the *Daily Telegraph*,  
in which he says he thinks Count  
Hertling's speech marks a perceptible  
advance in discussion. It contains,  
firstly, a distinct expression of a  
wish that responsible representa-  
tives of the belligerents should hold  
an intimate meeting for discussion;  
secondly, the admission that a  
general peace can be discussed on  
the basis of President Wilson's  
"four principles"; thirdly, the  
assurance that the Chancellor will  
joyfully greet, and gladly co-operate  
with, an impartial Court of Arbitra-  
tion; fourthly, the intimation that  
Germany does not think of retaining  
Belgium or making it a com-  
ponent part of the German Empire.  
Lord Lansdowne, commenting on  
the above, asks how it is possible to  
reach the preliminary agreement of  
which Mr. Balfour spoke without  
preliminary conversations at a small  
informal meeting of authorised per-  
sons, not plenipotentiaries, such as  
Lord Lansdowne thinks Count  
Hertling means. Otherwise there  
seems nothing for it but a continu-  
ance of these cross-channel, trans-  
ocean dialogues which are possibly  
not without use. Lord Lansdowne  
considers that Count Hertling's ac-  
ceptance of the four principles is  
satisfactory so far as it goes, and  
he welcomes Count Hertling's as-  
surance that he will co-operate to  
realise a Court of International  
Arbitration.

As regards Belgium, which is pro-  
perly regarded as the test case,  
Lord Lansdowne admits that Count  
Hertling's language certainly sug-  
gests the imposition of terms which  
would prevent Belgium regaining  
her independence. Therefore Lord  
Lansdowne examines the Papal Note  
of August 1st, 1917, which Count  
Hertling quoted and says the  
material passage is: "Plainly there  
must be a complete evacuation of  
Belgium with a guarantee of her  
full political, military and economic  
independence." Lord Lansdowne  
thinks it should not be difficult to  
satisfy Count Hertling if such a  
guarantee is really all he requires  
to prevent Belgium becoming the  
jumping-off ground of enemy  
machinations. He hopes Count  
Hertling in the course of the  
"dialogue" which will doubtless  
be continued, will tell us whether  
that is his meaning or whether  
wholly different designs not hinted  
at in the Papal Note were in his  
mind when he penned his somewhat  
unfortunate phrase. The point re-  
quires clearing up because if Count  
Hertling's overture had been turned  
down this was doubtless largely due  
to the interpretation placed upon his  
reference to Belgium. With an  
international Court working the  
neutrality of Belgium is not likely  
to be abused as Count Hertling  
apprehends. Lord Lansdowne is un-  
able to see why the "dialogue"  
should not be usefully continued or  
even allowed to lapse into an in-  
imate discussion. His Lordship  
points out that there is a basic  
agreement regarding the four prin-  
ciples, and regarding the interna-  
tional Tribunal, and he believes  
regarding Belgium, concerning which  
we are certainly going to have no  
humbug. The restoration of Bel-

gium is, of course, as President  
Wilson puts it, "the healing act,"  
but it will be necessary to ensure  
that similar treatment shall be ex-  
tended to the areas in France and  
elsewhere occupied by the Central  
Powers. One German statesman  
after another has disclaimed the  
policy of conquest and annexation,  
but the difficulties are much more  
formidable when they approach the  
claims to transfer territory from one  
Power to another.

#### LABOUR'S WAR AIMS.

SPEECH BY MR. HENDERSON.

LONDON, Mar. 5.

Mr. Arthur Henderson, speaking  
at East Ham, advocated that the  
Allies should again state their war  
aims, which should be consistent  
with the high ideals for which we  
entered the war. British Labour  
was of the opinion that the war  
should continue only as long as was  
necessary to secure a world peace.  
This meant the destruction of mili-  
tarism everywhere, and an honour-  
able and democratic peace, based  
on international justice, and on the  
enemy's compliance with the indis-  
pensable political and military con-  
ditions to ensure that peace would be  
permanent.

Mr. Henderson emphasised the  
necessity for reparation and said a  
League of Nations, for the settle-  
ment of all international disputes,  
was indispensable. He advocated  
doing everything to encourage the  
German Socialists to throw off the  
yoke of autocracy and militarism, as  
the length of the war largely depend-  
ed upon this, but the German treat-  
ment of Russia made peace by con-  
ciliation much more remote.

#### THE WESTERN FRONT.

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LONDON, Mar. 5.

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metres at certain points. While the  
coup-de-main was progressing, an  
enemy attack on the left flank was  
repulsed after sharp fighting, in  
which there were important enemy  
losses.

So far, 150 prisoners have been  
counted and our losses are extremely  
light.

An enemy coup-de-main to the  
north-west of Bezonvaux, broke  
down under our fire.

An enemy attempt against the  
trenches to the east of Lartienzen  
was stopped.

#### MR. WINSTON CHURCHILL AND THE THREATENED OFFENSIVE.

LONDON, Mar. 4.

Mr. Winston Churchill, Minister  
of Munitions, speaking at a meeting  
of the Anglo-French Society at the  
Mansion House, stated that unless  
the German hordes released from  
Russia attacked the British and  
French shortly, they would expose  
the fact that they were incompetent  
to deliver a great offensive. The  
French were so equipped that the  
assaults would meet the most  
devastating blast of artillery fire ever  
seen in the world's history.

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## INTIMATIONS

THE KOWLOON LAND AND BUILDING COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the KOWLOON LAND AND BUILDING COMPANY, Limited, will be held at the Registered Office of the Company, Victoria Building, Hongkong, on FRIDAY, the 8th day of March, 1916, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, when the subjoined Resolution which was passed at the Extraordinary General Meeting of the Company held on the 20th day of February, 1915, will be submitted for confirmation as a Special Resolution.

- "That the Articles of Association be altered in manner following—
- That the word "two" be substituted for the word "three" in the definition of "The Board" in Article 72.
  - That the word "two" be substituted for the word "three" in Article 72.
  - That the word "one" be substituted for the word "two" in line one and two of Article 78 and that the word "other" shall be substituted for the word "others" and the word "this" for the word "their" in line two of Article 78 and the word "member" be substituted for the word "members" in line three of Article 78.
  - That the word "Director" be substituted for the word "Directors" in Article 79.
  - That the word "Director" be substituted for the word "Directors" in line four of Article 79.
  - That the word "signature" be substituted for the word "signatures" in lines 1, 2 and 4 of Article 89 and that the word "one" be substituted for the word "two" and the word "Director" for the word "Directors" in line one of Article 89.
  - That the words "hand of one of the Directors" be substituted for the words "hands of two of the Directors" in line 2 of Article 107.

Dated the 20th day of February, 1916.  
By Order of the Board,  
A. SHELTON HOOPER,  
Secretary to  
THE HONGKONG LAND INVESTMENT & AGENCY CO., LTD.  
General Agents for the Company.

THE HONGKONG ROPE MANUFACTURING CO., LTD.

THE THIRTY-FOURTH ORDINARY ANNUAL MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company will be held at St. George's Buildings, Chater Road, Victoria, on SATURDAY, the 9th March, 1916, at 11.30 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of receiving a Statement of Accounts and the Report of the General Managers for the year ending 31st December, 1915, and electing a Consulting Committee and Auditors.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from TUESDAY, the 4th March, 1916, until SATURDAY, the 9th March, 1916, both days inclusive.

General Managers,  
Hongkong, Feb. 28, 1916. 188

## HONGKONG CLUB.

## NOTICE.

THE THIRTY-SECOND YEARLY GENERAL MEETING of the MEMBERS of the Hongkong Club, will be held in the Club House, on MONDAY, the 13th March, 1916, at 5.30 P.M.

By Order  
E. DES VŒUX,  
Secretary.  
Hongkong, Mar. 2, 1916. 201

THE GREEN ISLAND CEMENT COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE TWENTY-NINTH ORDINARY ANNUAL MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS in the Company will be held at the Office of the Company, St. George's Buildings, Chater Road, Victoria, Hongkong, on SATURDAY, the 23rd day of March, 1916, at 11.30 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of receiving a Statement of Accounts and the Report of the Directors for the year ending 31st December, 1915, and electing a Dividend.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from THURSDAY, the 14th March, 1916, until SATURDAY, the 23rd March, 1916, both days inclusive.

By Order of the  
BOARD OF DIRECTORS.  
Hongkong, Mar. 5, 1916. 209

## HONGKONG HOTEL.

## NOTICE.

THE TEA-DANCE which was to be held on FRIDAY next, the 8th inst., is CANCELLED.  
J. H. TAGGART,  
Manager.  
Hongkong, Mar. 5, 1916. 207

NATIONAL LOAN OF THE THIRD YEAR OF THE REPUBLIC (1914).

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A. AGLES,  
Inspector General of Customs.  
(119)

## INTIMATIONS

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HOLDERS OF UNPAID WINNING TICKETS (Cash Sweeps, Places and Winners) will also be paid at the same place and between the same hours as stated above on production of their tickets.

LOWE, BINGHAM & MATTHEWS,  
Accountants to the  
Hongkong Jockey Club.  
Hongkong, Mar. 1, 1916. 192

## NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Firm of A. R. MARTY, RENÉ SALLÉ, Successor, has as from the 15th February, 1916, sold to Messrs. P. A. LAPICQUE & Co., the S.S. "ELANOR," which insures the Postal Service between Hongkong and Haiphong, and also the right to use the name of A. R. MARTY, Compagnie de Navigation Tonkinoise. The business will hereafter be carried on by Messrs. P. A. LAPICQUE & Co., No. 4, Queen's Building, Telephone 950.

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Hongkong, Mar. 5, 1916. 208

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## PORTUGUESE COMMUNITY AND THE CATASTROPHE.

A well attended and representative meeting of the Portuguese Community of Hongkong was held yesterday at the Lusitano Club. Mr. E. V. M. R. de Sousa (the Consul for Portugal) presided, and amongst the large number present were Captain Torre do Valle (Aide de Camp to His Excellency the Governor of Macao) and Messrs. A. F. B. Silva-Netto (President of the Lusitano Club), P. V. Botelho (President of the Club de Recreio), Leo d'Almada e Castro (President of the Associação Portuguesa de Soccorros Mutuos), J. D. Osmund (President of the Catholic Union), A. G. da Rocha (President of the Lusitano Recreation Club), A. M. L. Soares, B. J. Botelho, J. M. Xavier, A. C. Botelho, H. Castro and Prof. Emil Danenberg, etc., etc.

The Chairman explained that the meeting had been convened for the purpose of showing the Community's sympathy with the families and relatives of the victims of the Happy Valley disaster, and also to show their appreciation of the many tokens of sympathy they had received from the Governments of Hongkong and Macao and various other official quarters. He then proceeded to read the letters and telegrams of condolence received, and proposed the following resolutions which were seconded by Mr. Silva-Netto and carried unanimously.

- That this meeting expresses its sorrowful condolence to the families and relatives of those members of the Portuguese Community who lost their lives in the frightful disaster which occurred on the 26th February last at the Happy Valley.
- That a similar expression of sympathy be extended to the Chinese, Japanese, Indian and other Communities in this Colony, which, under identical circumstances, lost many of their members.

These two resolutions were passed in silence, the audience standing up.

3.—That this meeting expresses its sincere thanks to the Government and Legislative and Executive Councils of this Colony for their kind expression of sympathy with the Portuguese Community for the loss of life and injuries suffered by several of its members in the Happy Valley catastrophe.

4.—That a similar vote of thanks be presented to the Government and Municipal Council of Macao, which, in terms of affectionate brotherhood, expressed their sorrowful participation in the great grief felt by the Portuguese Community for the loss of those of its members who perished in the disaster.

5.—That this meeting expresses its grateful thanks to the Police, Military, Naval and Medical Authorities of this Colony, for the promptitude and courage with which, in the face of great danger, they responded to the call for help, succeeding thereby in saving the lives of many members of the Portuguese Community.

6.—That it expresses its sincere thanks to the Honorable Messrs. Lau, Chu Pak and Ho Fook who, as the representatives of the Chinese Community, in the Legislative Council of this Colony, expressed, through the Press, their much appreciated sympathy with the Portuguese Community.

7.—That it also expresses its sincere thanks to Captain Torre do Valle (representing His Excellency the Governor of Macao), to His Lordship Bishop Pozzoni, to His Excellency the Portuguese Minister at Peking, to the Rev. Father José Maria da Costa Nunes (Capitular

Vicar of the Diocese of Macao), to the Portuguese Consul at Canton (representing the Portuguese Community there), to Mr. Obaldia (Consul for Brazil and Panama), to the Rev. Father Spada, to the Rev. Father Novat (Procureur of the Spanish Mission), to the members of the Lusitano Club of Shanghai, to the Portuguese School Fund Committee of 21st June, 1917, and to all persons and corporations who have expressed their sympathy with, or who have in any way rendered help to the members of the Portuguese Community on the occasion of the disaster.

Upon the Chairman reading a telegram from the Rev. Father José Maria da Costa Nunes, Capitular Vicar of Macao, offering free board and tuition at the Seminary of Macao to the four sons of the late "Bino" Xavier, the meeting showed its appreciation by prolonged applause, and on the motion of Mr. F. P. de V. Soares, a special vote of thanks to the rev. gentleman was carried unanimously.

A subscription was then opened in favour of the dependants of those members of the Portuguese Community who died in the disaster, leaving their families unprotected, and the response was so generous that in less than half an hour nearly \$4,000 was subscribed. It was agreed to let the Associação Portuguesa de Soccorros Mutuos administer the funds thus raised, and the meeting terminated with a vote of thanks to the Committee of the Lusitano Club for the use of the Camoes Hall.

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Hongkong, Mar. 2, 1918. 202

**PUBLIC AUCTION.**

THE Undersigned have received instructions to sell by Public Auction on

**SATURDAY,**  
the 9th March, 1918, at 10.30 a.m.,  
at The Kowloon Railway Station,  
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Tools, 4 sets of Mule Harness, Metallic  
Taps, (various lengths), Iron Bolts and  
Nuts, Shutter Fastenings, Gauge  
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Catalogues also obtained from the  
Station Master Kowloon.

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Hongkong, Feb. 23, 1918. 171

**PUBLIC AUCTION.**

THE Undersigned have received instructions from the Liquidators of the Firm of Messrs. POSEMAN LOWRIE & Co., to sell by Public Auction,

on

**MONDAY,**  
the 25th March, 1918, commencing at  
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mountings.

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Metal, &c.

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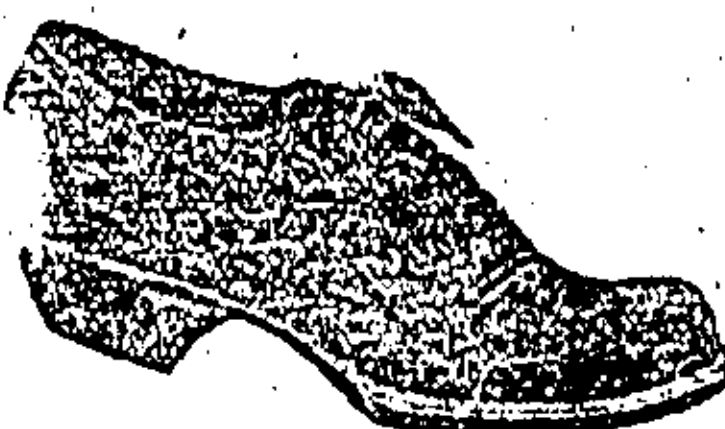
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## ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING.

(Continued from Yesterday.)

The motion for the adoption of the  
Annual Report and Accounts was  
seconded by Mr. W. D. Kraft.

Mr. KRAFT said:—Gentlemen,—  
In seconding the adoption of your  
annual report, I do not think it  
necessary for me to dwell in detail  
upon its contents, except to con-  
gratulate your Committee on the  
splendid work accomplished. You  
have probably all read it and can  
appreciate the great amount of useful  
work which has been done, and this  
in spite of the lack of German help.

Your usefulness has increased, and  
your Chamber to-day has a larger  
membership than at any period of  
its history. There is one question,  
however, which I think might be  
referred to, and that is your school  
for the learning of the Chinese  
language by Europeans. This I  
think is an excellent thing, and for  
your information I may tell you that  
our Company, when sending out  
young men to this part of the world,  
have made them thoroughly under-  
stand that they are at once to com-  
mence the study of the vernacular  
language at whichever part of the  
country they are located. I do not  
propose to occupy your time in trying  
to comment on any local conditions,  
for they are all well known to you,  
but I feel sure you will be interested  
to hear of some of the things which  
America is doing in this great world  
struggle. The United States Govern-  
ment has within the last sixty days  
commandeered the entire railroad  
systems of the United States. This  
was done in order that the greatest  
efficiency could be attained, and all  
the officials of these great arteries of  
transportation are gladly giving their  
aid in handling this important ques-  
tion. To give you some idea of the  
magnitude of these systems, I might  
say that the mileage is equal to that  
of all Europe and Asia combined;  
as a matter of fact, the railroad  
tracks, if strung out in a continuous  
line, would be sufficient to run a  
girdle of steel eleven times around  
this earth at the equator. The  
locomotives if placed end to end  
would fill four railroad tracks each  
385 miles long. These railroads  
handle 2,000,000,000 tons of freight  
per annum, and the total operating  
revenue for the year ending June  
30th, 1917, was \$3,824,000,000.  
During the last thirty days, our  
Government found it necessary to  
suspend for a period of five days,  
the operation of all industries excepting  
those engaged in the manufacture of  
food stuffs and munitions. This was  
for the purpose of relieving the con-  
gested districts and to facilitate the  
prompt handling of coal and other  
supplies which were urgently needed  
by our Allies. The head of the  
Standard Oil Company is the Chair-  
man of the Petroleum Committee of  
the United States Government, and  
is devoting his entire time to this  
question, and is being heartily sup-  
ported by the entire oil industry of  
the country. You may have seen in  
some of the papers that these oil  
industries have guaranteed that all  
the supplies of oil and fuel which  
are needed by our Allies will be  
furnished. During the last few days  
I have had the opportunity of dis-  
cussing with Mr. Doubleday, who is  
a partner of the American Ambassador  
in London, Mr. Page, in regard to  
the good work now being done by the  
Red Cross Society of the United  
States. During December of last  
year, a great drive was started in  
the United States to secure members for  
this Society, and in one week they  
were able to add to their membership  
11,220,000 names, and it is hoped to  
increase this to 40,000,000 within  
the next three months. Mr. Doubleday  
informs me that 90 per cent. of  
the work done by this Society is  
given in countries outside the United  
States, and in France alone they  
have undertaken the maintenance of  
4,000 hospitals, and already have  
collected \$100,000,000 for this  
purpose. As Mr. Doubleday says,  
America has heretofore been known  
as a nation of money makers; and  
before this war is ended, we hope to  
be known as a nation of money  
givers. I recently saw in one of the  
numbers of the *Scientific American*,  
a plan of a gigantic plant, which  
was 1,800 feet long, and which  
had 18 bays 900 feet long, and this  
plant would be in complete operation  
within 30 days, and when completed  
it was estimated that one finished  
aeroplane would be turned out every  
nine minutes of the 24 hours, and  
this means 5,000 machines each  
month. There are other plants now  
under construction. There are to-day  
in active training for the Aviation  
Corps in the United States 100,000  
of America's best young men, and as  
many more are needed, and ready  
to serve. The *New York Herald*,  
after great trouble and expense,  
published a complete list of all alien  
enemies within the city of New York

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ground, being the representative of  
another Government, and he sin-  
cerely hoped that the remarks he was  
about to utter would not be taken as  
criticisms on the local Government.  
He simply spoke to them as the  
Commercial representative of the  
Premier of the Mother State of the  
Australians, and also as a British  
subject. (Applause.) His one de-  
sire was to further British interests  
and also to assist the Hongkong  
Chamber. He had only a short time  
in which to speak and he wanted to  
let them know something of what  
they had been doing in Australia and  
what he was still endeavouring to do  
in various parts of the world. His  
sphere of work took him over Japan,  
Korea, Eastern Siberia, Mongolia,  
China, Indo-China, the Philippines,  
the Dutch East Indies, the Straits  
Settlements, British Malaya, Siam,  
Burmah, India and Ceylon, and  
during the whole of his wanderings,  
he had never lost an opportunity of  
making a close study of the natural  
operations of trade and of studying  
German intrigues and machinations,  
and the more he studied the more  
he realised the terrible treacheries of  
which the Germans had been guilty  
of violating every principle sacred  
to humanity. It behoved, not only  
British subjects, but the subjects of  
all the Allies, to hound the Germans  
out of social and commercial exist-  
ence. He was convinced that he  
could not sink to their level; nor  
could they rise to ours. As com-  
pared with the beasts of the field  
and the denizens of the forest, the  
Germans showed no superiority.  
Just previous to the war, he was  
in India making investigations of the  
conditions of trade. And what did  
he find? The Germans had started,  
twenty years previously, to prepare  
for this war, and they had not only  
the whole of the metal interests in  
India in their hands but those of  
Australia as well. He found that  
one ounce of copper could not be  
handled unless through a German  
organisation. He reported the mat-  
ter to his Government and they got  
busy, and they found that the Ger-  
mans had succeeded in getting control  
of the interests of all the great mines  
in Australia. When the war started  
the Germans were getting thousands  
of tons of zinc at £40 per ton,  
whereas England had to pay £100  
per ton for exactly the same metal.  
Then, thanks to the man whom the  
British Empire knew of and of whom  
they had a right to be proud—Mr.  
William Hughes, the Prime Minister  
of Australia—this state of things was  
stopped. As soon as he found what  
the Germans were up to, he passed  
a bill almost at once sitting, under  
which every share held by Germans  
and Austrians was wiped off the roll  
and the privilege was given other  
shareholders of buying these shares,  
at the price to which they had  
been forced up by the war, but at  
the price for which they were origi-  
nally obtained. The result was that  
there were no German or Austrian  
shareholders in Australian mines to-  
day and there never would be  
again. (Applause.) Mr. Hughes  
also passed another Bill establish-  
ing a Metal Exchange which settled  
for all time that none but British  
interests could control the metal  
resources of Australia. These in-  
terests were very considerable.  
They had only been scratching the  
surface so far, and had done nothing  
as compared with what they intend-  
ed to do. If the war had been post-  
poned for a few years the Germans  
would have dealt the death blow to  
Sheffield and Birmingham, because  
not only had they absolute control  
of the metal industries of Australia  
but they were doing the same thing  
in Japan, the United States of  
America and in Mexico. Continu-  
ing, the speaker said that close  
attention had been paid to matters  
in Japan, and he paid a warm tribute  
to the Commercial Attaché in Japan,  
Mr. E. F. Crowe, whom he had tried  
to help all he could. The work of  
ousting the Germans was a difficult  
one. When they had put the Ger-  
mans out of one business under one  
name they found them in another  
business under another name. They  
were now out of business in Australia,  
and not one ounce of Australian  
metal could go to Japan without the  
consent of the authorities. Recent-  
ly he had heard certain rumours and  
went down to Manila to make an  
investigation, and there he found a  
lot of Germans doing business the  
same as they had done for the past  
ten, fifteen or twenty years. He  
simply marvelled at that. Repre-  
sentations were made and he was  
glad to say that orders came through  
from the President of the United  
States and within twenty-four hours  
every one of those German houses  
was closed. When he found anyone  
doing Australian business with one  
German in his employment he re-  
commended that the firm be put on  
the Black List. In one firm he was  
told there were no Germans, but  
when he drew the attention of the  
Government to the firm, fifteen  
Germans were rooted out. There  
was one important thing he would  
lay stress on. While the British  
Government placed German firms on  
the Black List they appeared to take  
no notice of firms employing Ger-  
mans. When they closed one firm  
the whole of the German operators  
were taken out by another but so far  
there was no arrangement whereby  
the British Government could deal  
with such cases. He urged that  
some action be taken to draw the  
attention of the British Government

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to it. If they wished to put the  
Germans out of commercial life in  
the East they must put Germans out  
of their employment, because it was  
enabling the Germans during the war  
to have a really good living and to  
hold their business connections to-  
gether. Another thing he would like  
the Chamber to do. His operations  
included the whole of Eastern  
Siberia and when he was in that part  
of the world he somewhat marvelled  
at the enormous number of first-class  
German and Austrian soldiers im-  
prisoned. There were probably  
200,000, who had since been liber-  
ated, and what was going to happen  
at Vladivostok? When he went to  
Canton he found the Germans there  
still enjoying their freedom. Re-  
cently he was invited to attend a  
very important dinner in Peking and  
from the remarks made he felt con-  
fident that if representations were  
made the Chinese Government would  
lose no time in informing these Ger-  
mans, especially those in Canton.  
He urged that they could not trust  
those Germans as far as they could  
see them. During the last few  
months they had imprisoned a man  
in Australia who had been there for  
54 years and was regarded as a model  
German citizen. He gave donations  
to charities and in one instance he  
gave a sum of £3,000. They recently  
found that this man was one of  
the leaders of a scheme for placing  
bombs on board ships. He hoped  
that the Chamber would take steps  
to make representations to the Home  
and local Governments and the  
Minister in Peking with a view to  
inducing the Chinese Government  
to lose no time in having every one  
of these Germans interned.

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The Hon. Mr. HOLYOAK expressed  
the obligation of the Chamber to Mr.  
Sutton for his interesting address.  
With reference to his last remark,  
the Chamber had made representa-  
tion upon representation and sent  
telegram upon telegram, and nothing  
would be left undone as far as the  
Chamber was concerned; but it now  
lay with higher authorities than the  
Chamber.

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## ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING.

(Continued from Yesterday.)

**NEW MEMBERS.**  
The CHAIRMAN proposed the con-  
firmation of the election of the fol-  
lowing new members to the Cham-  
ber:—  
Messrs. Newall & Claxton, N. S.  
Moses & Co., The Royal Insurance  
Co., Ltd., The Netherlands Fire and  
Life Insurance Co., The Northwest  
Trading Co., The South British  
Insurance Co., Ltd., J. M. de Rocha  
& Co., Karanji & Co., H. A. Cart-  
wright, G. O. Moxon and Lo  
Cheung Shui.

Mr. DONWELL seconded, and the  
motion was carried.

The business of the meeting then  
concluded.

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## ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING.

(Continued from Yesterday.)

**CHAIRMAN AND VICE-CHAIRMAN  
RE-ELECTED.**  
At a subsequent meeting of the  
Committee the Hon. Mr. P. H.  
Holyoak was re-elected Chairman  
and Mr. S. H. Dowdell was re-  
elected Vice-Chairman.

The firms represented at the meeting  
were:—A. B. The Swedish Trading  
Co., Ltd. (Mr. G. Ludin), J. M. Alves  
& Co. (Mr. J. M. Alves), Arculli Bros.  
(Mr. O. el Arculli), Bank Line Ltd. (Mr.  
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and Globe Insurance Co. Ltd. (Mr. de B. Lancaster), Lowe, Bingham and  
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Ltd. (Mr. B. Tennent), J. M. de Rocha &  
Co. (Mr. J. M. de Rocha), Russian  
Volunteer Fleet (Mr. B. Shnitnikoff),  
David Sassoon & Co. Ltd. (Hon. Mr. E. Shilling), Shawson Jones & Co. (Mr. J. M. Gordon), H. Smith & Co. (Mr. G. E. Werton), South British Insurance Co.  
Ltd. (Mr. A. G. Newall), Standard Oil  
Co. of New York (Mr. W. D. Kraft),  
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Hongkong, Mar. 6, 1918. 212

### KOWLOON-CANTON RAILWAY. (BRITISH SECTION).

THE PUBLIC IS HEREBY NOTI-  
FIED that Accommodation for  
First Class Passengers will be provided  
on the Goods Train leaving Kowloon at  
11.30 a.m. on SATURDAY, 8th instant  
calling at Taiipo and Sheung Shui.  
By Order,  
H. P. WINSLOW,  
Manager.  
Kowloon, 6th March, 1918. 213

### CHINA SUGAR REFINING COMPANY, LIMITED.

#### NOTICE.

THE FORTIETH ORDINARY  
ANNUAL MEETING OF SHARE-  
HOLDERS of the above Company will  
be held at the Offices of the General  
Agents, Messrs. J. L. M. SPENCER & CO.,  
7th Floor, 11th Street, on WEDNES-  
DAY, the 27th instant, at 11.30 a.m.  
for the purpose of receiving the Report  
and Statement of Accounts for the year  
ending 31st December, 1917.  
The TRANSFER BOOKS of the  
Company will be CLOSED from the  
14th to 27th March, both days inclusive.  
JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd.,  
General Agents.  
Hongkong, Mar. 6, 1918. 214

#### PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned have received instruc-  
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(FOR ACCOUNT OF THE CONCERNED),  
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**TUESDAY,**  
the 12th March, 1918, commencing at  
2.30 p.m., at their Sales Rooms, No. 8,  
Des Vaux Road, Corner of  
Ice House Street,  
A COMBINATION OF  
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Single and Double Plain and  
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Quilts, Table Cloth, Pure Linen Damask  
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Tables and Chairs, Tea and Occasional  
Tables, &c., Dinner Services, Crockery,  
Glass Ware, Cooking Stoves, Chafery,  
Toilet Sets, &c., Bath Room Utensils,  
Roll-top Desks and Writing Tables,  
Sundry Electro-Plated Ware,  
Electric Reading Lamps, Blackwood  
and Teakwood Screens, Blackwood  
Furniture, including large Folding Elbow  
Side Tables, &c., Engravings, Pictures,  
&c., &c., Table Lamps and Not, Iron Safe,  
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Also  
Several Carpets, Brass Fenders, a few  
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TABLE with Accessories,  
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says Germany must be safeguarded  
from the danger of Belgium becoming  
a jumping-off ground of enemy  
machinations. The war aims of  
the Allies are designed to provide  
just such safeguards, and what is  
required from Germany is plain  
answers to the series of very plain  
questions which have been formulated  
by Allied Statesmen notably in the  
speeches of Mr. Lloyd George and  
President Wilson. Until these are  
forthcoming Germany cannot be  
regarded in any other light than as  
waging a criminal war of conquest.  
We do not see what good can come  
out of such an intimate discussion  
as Lord Lansdowne suggests un-  
less it is preceded by a more  
frank acceptance on Germany's  
part of the principles which the  
Allies have formulated for the  
purpose of ensuring that such a  
war shall never occur again. In the  
settlement everything must be plain  
and above-board. No secret diplo-  
macy can be tolerated.

## NEWS OF THE DAY.

### LOCAL AND GENERAL.

Earthquake tremors were noticed  
by many people between 4.30 and 5  
o'clock this morning.

The Colonial Secretary's Office  
informs us that quarantine has been  
imposed at Amoy on arrivals from  
Hongkong.

It is understood that an agreement  
concerning wireless has been concluded  
between the Chinese Ministry of the  
Navy and Mitsui's, but details are not  
available.

Dr. Sherwood Eddy, who will speak  
in the Theatre Royal to-morrow at 5.45  
p.m. on "Experiences in the War  
Zone," is widely known as an eloquent  
and forceful lecturer and a large  
gathering is expected. H. E. The  
Governor will take the Chair.

The marriage arranged between  
Lieutenant-Commander Norman Wil-  
kinson, younger son of the late Mr.  
Charles T. Wilkinson and Mrs. Wilkin-  
son, of London, and Evelyn H. Mac-  
kenzie, youngest daughter of the Rev.  
and Mrs. Murdoch Mackenzie, of Swatow,  
was to take place on January 12, at  
Marylebone Presbyterian Church.

Information has reached the  
Peking Daily News from an authentic  
source that a serious epidemic of typhus  
has broken out in Harbin and also along  
a portion of the Chinese Eastern Rail-  
way. The medical officers of the  
Manchurian Plague Prevention Service  
are co-operating with the Railway  
doctors in combating this epidemic.

The Chinese owners of flour mills  
have submitted a petition to the Govern-  
ment, through the Chinese General  
Chamber of Commerce, asking for help  
in case any friendly Powers should wish  
to secure "Chinese" milled flour, of which  
there are now in stock over 3,000,000  
bags of superior quality and over  
1,000,000 bags of common quality.

A Tientsin contemporary says it is  
reported in Chinese official circles that  
the Chinese Engineering and Mining  
Co. (K.M.A.), Tientsin, has secured the  
rights for the exploitation and working  
of a coal mine at Ichow, in the vicinity  
of the Manchurian Western Railway, from  
the Chinese Government; and that there is  
an asbestos mine at Ichow which will  
also be worked by the same Company.

### SALE OF PONIES.

#### ANNUAL ROUP.

The annual sale of Race ponies  
took place this afternoon, opposite  
the City Hall.  
Mr. F. C. Mason Hurley, of  
Messrs. Hughes & Hough, officiated  
as auctioneer, about 40 ponies were  
put up. There were not so many  
bidders as last year and the prices  
obtained were poor. Bubbles and  
fetched the highest figure—\$210, the  
purchaser being Mr. Staves. Coronet  
Ibilla was bought in at \$100.  
Church Mouse went to Mr. Dow-  
biggin for \$135, and Sporting Sand  
to Mr. Moson for \$100.

### LA LIFE SAYER.

It is said to say that Chamberlain's  
Colic, Cholera, and Diarrhoea  
Remedy has saved the lives of more  
people and relieved more suffering than  
any other remedy in existence. It is  
known all over the world for its  
speedy cure of all ailments of the  
stomach, bowels, and all intestinal  
disorders. For sale by all Chemists and  
Druggists.

## THE MAGISTRACY.

### STEALING FROM DEAD BODIES AT HAPPY VALLEY.

A Chinese member of the regular Fire  
Brigade was charged on remand before  
Mr. J. R. Wood this morning with the  
theft of a gold bangle from a corpse at  
Happy Valley on the 26th ultimo.

Evidence was given by a Chinese  
fireman who said he saw the defendant  
pick up a bangle. The defendant told  
him that he was going to give the  
bangle to Sergt. Cockle, and then  
walked away.

Inspector Sim said that at the time  
of the fire no permission had been  
granted to anyone to pick up jewelry  
from the corpses. As far as possible  
articles of jewelry, picked up by the  
police officers were placed with the body,  
near which it was found.

Sergt. Cockle said that no general  
instructions had been given to the  
firemen to pick up jewelry, though it  
was understood that any jewelry found  
was to be handed to the first police  
officer they met.

Mr. Wood sentenced the defendant  
to six months' hard labour.

A Chinese youth who was charged  
on remand with the theft of a few  
broken parts of a gold bangle was  
sentenced to three months' hard labour.

A coal coolie who was charged on  
remand with the theft of a copper  
caldron from amongst the debris of the  
race course fire, was sentenced to three  
weeks' hard labour.

## COMPANY REPORTS.

### CHINA SUGAR REFINING CO., LIMITED.

The accounts for the year ending  
31st December, 1917, have been  
closed and (subject to audit) show  
a loss of about \$483,000. If the  
Credit balance of about \$33,000  
brought forward from the previous  
account is deducted, there is a  
balance of about \$450,000 at the  
debit of Profit and Loss to be car-  
ried forward to the next account.

### THE HONGKONG ROPE MANUFAC- TURING CO., LTD.

The Report for presentation to the  
Shareholders reads as follows—  
Annexed we have the pleasure to lay  
before shareholders a statement of  
accounts made up to 31st December,  
1917.

The balance at Credit of Profit and  
Loss Account after allowing for the  
Interim Dividend of \$50,000.00 paid in  
August last and including the balance  
of \$43,647.21 brought forward from  
1916, is \$217,237.62 which it is pro-  
posed to appropriate as follows:

To place in Reserve Fund \$50,000.00  
" pay a final Dividend  
" of \$1.00 per share..... 60,000.00  
" pay a bonus of \$1.00  
" per share..... 60,000.00  
" pay a bonus to staff..... 4,011.50  
" carry forward to the  
credit of next year's  
account..... 43,226.02

Consulting Committee.—In accordance  
with the Articles of Association Messrs.  
H. P. White, J. H. Wallace and A. H.  
Skellern retire, but offer themselves for  
re-election.

Auditors.—The accounts have been  
audited by Messrs. P. Midland and H.  
Perry Smith who are eligible for  
reappointment.

### TRAIN CROSSING FATALITY IN THE UNITED STATES.

#### FORMER HONGKONG RESI- DENTS LOSE A DAUGHTER.

Word has been received by the  
American Consulate-General that  
Nancy Ellen Sawyer, the seven-year-  
old daughter of former Vice-Consul  
J. B. Sawyer and Mrs. Sawyer was  
killed by a Southern Pacific electric  
train on February 28, 1918, in  
Berkeley, California.

The accounts indicate that the  
child was out walking with her  
mother and at the train crossing  
released her mother's hand and  
started to run across the street.

Mrs. Sawyer saw the approaching  
train and called to the child. In the  
middle of the track bewildered by  
the oncoming train the little girl  
stood motionless. Mrs. Sawyer  
screamed and covered her face while  
the train struck her child and passed  
her.

Mr. Sawyer left the Consulate-  
General in Hongkong in November  
1916 to resume his former work in  
connection with the immigration  
service of the United States in San  
Francisco.

### RUB IT IN.

A good many people think rheuma-  
tism cannot be cured without  
taking caustic medicine. Chamberlain's  
Pain Balm, however, thoroughly  
thoroughly cures the most severe  
rheumatism, and gives relief in existence  
and gives relief in existence.

## THE GRESSON STREET AFFRAY.

### SERG. MCWALTER'S EVIDENCE.

#### HOW TWO MEN ESCAPED.

Following the evidence of Lo Hai,  
a Chinese detective, who reported  
yesterday, Sergeant McWalter deposed  
that on January 23 at 11 a.m. he was  
on duty at No. 2 Station and received  
a telephone message asking for all the  
police available to be sent to Ship Street.  
He called all the men and told them to  
follow him to Ship Street. All carried  
arms. On the Praya he met a Chinese  
detective who said the trouble was in  
Gresson Street. When he got to  
Gresson Street corner he met Inspector  
Sim and went with him round to the  
back lane, between Lun Fat Street  
and Gresson Street. They saw nothing  
there; so they came back again and  
went up the stairs of No. 13, Lun  
Fat Street. On gaining the second  
floor, he went to the back window.  
Inspector Sim left him there and  
went downstairs. Witness stopped  
at the window for a few minutes, and  
saw two men come out of No. 6, Gresson  
Street. He waited to see whether they  
were detectives. He noticed they were  
armed, each holding a pistol in each  
hand and two other pistols hanging  
by string from their teeth. The first  
man wore a blue European  
suit; the other had on a suit of  
dark Chinese clothes. They got  
down by the water-spout, on to the wall  
between No. 4 and No. 6, Gresson  
Street. A third man then came out,  
but he drew back again, being afraid.  
Witness fired two rounds at the first  
two men with an automatic pistol, but  
was not sure whether they were wound-  
ed. Inspector Sim told him to keep on  
watching, and went down the staircase.  
Witness looked out of the window again  
and found that the two men previously  
seen were running along the back  
lane, from the direction of No. 6.  
He fired two rounds at them. The  
man who was dressed in European  
clothes turned round and fired and then  
ran out of the lane into Lun Fat Street,  
accompanied by the second man.  
Witness ran from the house, into Lun  
Fat Street, and saw the men running  
up Lun Fat Street; they were firing all  
the time at Inspector Sim, who was  
following them. Witness went back to  
the window of No. 13 and saw the third  
man getting away by the back lane.  
He had a pistol in his hand. Witness  
fired one round at him, and he then ran  
back through the back-door of No. 6.  
Witness waited a few minutes and then  
saw a head and a pistol peeping out  
from the back of the door. He fired  
again, and the head and hand were  
drawn back. A few minutes later the  
head and hand reappeared on the  
ground floor level, and witness again  
fired, but did not see him after that.

### CHINESE DETECTIVES' EVIDENCE.

Chan Tin, Ng Fu and Kwong Ho,  
all members of the search party, gave  
evidence corroborating that of the first  
witness, Sun Tai.  
Ho Hung, the principal Chinese  
detective of the party, said that he  
asked prisoner, who was lying in the  
gutter, his name, and prisoner replied  
that it was Ng Nim. He added that  
his age was 23 and that he was a native  
of Swatow. Witness searched him, and  
he volunteered the information that he  
lived at No. 6, and said there were still  
four more robbers upstairs. Prisoner  
was then sent to No. 2 Police Station.  
The prisoner's hand smelt of gun-powder.  
So Yui Chi, a Chinese medical man,  
said he had lived at No. 26, Queen's  
Road East, for the last ten years. On  
January 22 he was not in No. 6, Gresson  
Street.

Mr. Longinotto: He was undoubtedly  
one of the two men present there.  
Inspector Sim: He denied it in his  
statement, but admitted afterwards that  
he was there.

In reply to the Magistrate Mr. Longi-  
notto said the man would be able to say  
that he saw prisoner visiting the tenants  
of No. 6.

The Magistrate (to witness): Have  
you seen prisoner before?

Witness: I recognise him. He used  
to come to No. 6, Gresson Street,  
frequently, while I was attending a  
patient at the house. I went there on  
January 15 and 16 and saw the prisoner  
there. The principal tenant of the back  
portion of the house is a woman.

The Magistrate: Is the woman one  
of the witnesses in the case?  
Inspector Sim: She is one of the  
women who have gone away. She was  
there on the morning of the occurrence.

The Magistrate (to witness): Where  
is the woman?—Witness: I do not know.

### A WOMAN'S STORY.

So Yui Ying, an old Chinese woman,  
said she lived on the floor where  
the Police were shot. She was at the  
time in the kitchen cooking rice.  
She did not know the names of the  
people who occupied the last cubicle on  
the second floor. The men had only  
occupied the cubicle lately. They first  
took the cubicle in front, but afterwards  
shifted to the one at the back. Prisoner  
came into her place once. He is not  
one of the two men who occupied the  
cubicle. The prisoner came to the place  
about ten days before he was arrested by  
the Police, stayed for about two hours,  
and then went away. She was in the kit-  
chen when the Police came and also tried  
to come out, but the Police locked the  
door. She did not see the prisoner. Her  
daughter was in the house at the time.  
Witness saw two men coming to the  
kitchen door and heard shots being  
fired. After the fire ceased the door  
was opened and witness came out, but  
she saw nobody. She was with the  
Public Mortuary, next day, and  
Inspector Sim, and saw a dead body  
but witness did not know who it was.

Inspector Sim: He was one of the  
robbers and was dressed in blue Euro-  
pean clothing.

Inspector Sim added that witness  
told Inspector Morrison that her daughter  
was away in the country at the time.  
The case was then adjourned until  
11 a.m. to-day.

## INSPECTOR SIM'S EVIDENCE.

### Dr. McKenny's Evidence.

Dr. McKenny was recalled this  
morning. In reply to the Magistrate,  
he said that the patient would be strong  
to run downstairs from the house into  
the street even though he had received  
the wound in the chest previously.

So Liu Chi, Chinese doctor recalled,  
again denied being at No. 6 Gresson  
Street on the day of the outrage.

Inspector George Sim, in charge of  
No. 2 Police Station, after having been  
sworn said: "On the 22nd January  
at about 11.5 a.m. I passed Gresson  
Street on my way to No. 2 Station.  
As the car was crossing Gresson  
Street I saw a Chinese in a light  
blue long coat lying on the  
east foot-path of Gresson Street.  
I jumped out of the car, went up Gresson  
Street and as I approached the person,  
I noticed a Chinese constable, Cheng  
Kum, standing on the stairway of house  
No. 10. I went over to him and asked  
what was the matter. He told me there  
was an armed robbery at No. 6 and I  
believe I stretched out my hand to  
take the revolver from him with the  
intention of going up to house No. 6.  
He advised me not to go to No. 6, and  
just then a shot was fired from that  
house and passed between us. I then  
turned back towards the Praya past  
house No. 12. I met Sun Tai who was  
on the staircase. He came to the foot-  
path. I asked him what was the mat-  
ter and he said 'Ta Kip! Ta Kip!' ('armed  
robber') and showed me a  
wound in his arm. I left him and went  
over to the Seamen's Institute and tele-  
phoned to No. 2 Station after  
having found the line to Central engaged.  
I instructed the interpreter that an  
armed robbery was going on and to  
send armed policemen to Gresson  
Street. When I got into communication  
with Central Station I spoke to the  
C.S.P., gave him an outline of what had  
occurred and asked for assistance. I  
left the Seamen's Institute and going to  
Gresson Street I met Sergt. McWalter.  
I was still unarmed. Through a small  
lane on the left of Gresson Street, Sergt.  
McWalter and I looked at the back  
lane of Gresson Street but saw no  
one. We followed that lane and  
proceeded to Lun Fat Street. We then  
went up to the second floor of  
No. 19 Lun Fat Street to the back  
of the house. Our object was to com-  
mand the back lane and to watch the  
back of house No. 6, Gresson Street.  
I then fully a quarter past eleven,  
with instructions to watch the back  
lane. I returned to Lun Fat Street  
and met three Indian police B410, B332  
and B265 at the Praya end of this  
street. They were all in plain clothes  
and armed and came from No. 2  
Station. I told Constable B 410 to  
keep watch on the archway between  
Lun Fat Street and Queen's Road East  
and stop all persons endeavouring to  
run away. I stationed B 332 at the  
Praya end of Lun Fat Street and  
told B 267, who was in uniform, with  
me to Gresson Street. On arriving at  
Gresson Street I myself took a revolver  
from a Chinese policeman. Immediately  
before I took the revolver from him, I  
heard shots in the back lane of No. 6.  
The front entrance of No. 6 was guard-  
ed from the top of the Seamen's  
Institute, which is situated at the Praya  
end of Gresson Street. Sanitary  
Inspector Allen was keeping guard on  
the roof with a service rifle. That  
position commanded a view of  
the front door of No. 6.  
I went back along the Praya to Lun  
Fat Street, leaving the Indian constable  
at Gresson Street and went up Lun  
Fat Street to where I left Sergt. Mc-  
Walter. I asked him if he had seen  
anything and he made a report that  
two men had come out of the back  
window of the first floor of No. 6  
famed to the teeth. I left him and returned  
to Lun Fat Street. Two shots were fired  
on me in the street before I had drawn  
my revolver, by two men, who were  
scarcely twenty yards away from me.  
One of the men was dressed in a Navy  
blue suit and the other was dressed in  
a long coat which did not appear to  
suit him. I fired back at the man  
dressed in European clothes who was  
running sideways when he fired at  
me. I fired back three times  
at them in Lun Fat Street. Both men  
ran up Lun Fat Street towards the  
archway, the one with the long coat a  
few yards before the other man. Con-  
stable B410 fired at them and missed.  
The man in the European clothes fired  
point-blank at B410 just as they reached  
the archway. The constable ducked and  
the shot went over him. He followed  
them into Queen's Road. I followed  
also and B332 followed behind me. The  
men turned to the left and ran along  
Queen's Road. We did not fire at them  
as they ran in Queen's Road. They  
turned to the right into Ship Street.  
When I turned the corner at Ship Street  
the men were already 30 or 40 yards  
away from me. I fired a couple of shots  
at the man who kept on firing at us.  
The first shot fired at me in Ship Street  
missed and killed a Chinese boy sitting  
on a stool at the door of 26 Ship Street.  
Mr. T. H. King, A. S. P. is dead. On  
13th February at 2.30 p.m. I led an  
identification parade at the Victoria  
Gaol. Defendant was placed amongst  
fourteen men in a group. One of the  
detectives, Sun Tai, picked out the  
prisoner from the group as one of the  
robbers. He proceeded along the line  
and picked out a man named Lok Chan,  
who was not connected with the affair,  
whom he said resembled one of the  
robbers, but he was not positive.  
Walking back along the line he pointed  
to another man with a long coat as  
being something like one of the robbers,  
but again he was not sure. This man was  
also not connected with the robbery. Sun  
Tai pointed to prisoner again and said he  
was positive about him. The prisoner  
said, was one of the men lying on a  
bed in the furthest cubicle of the  
house in Gresson Street.

So Yui Ying, an old woman,  
said that none of those present were living  
on the first floor of No. 6, Gresson  
Street, but pointed out Ng Ling, the

prisoner, as having visited the house  
on one occasion about ten days before  
the affair. She did not see him on the  
morning of the 22nd Jan. So Yui  
Chi identified the defendant as having  
frequentated the house in Gresson Street  
and said she saw him in the rear  
cubicle.

Continuing his evidence, Inspector Sim  
said: "The same man fired a second shot  
which wounded an Indian gentleman  
who was standing on the north-west  
corner of Queen's Road East and Ship  
Street. I pulled my trigger to fire a  
third shot, but the revolver missed fire.  
At this moment I saw a Chinese  
gentleman in Ship Street holding a  
Winchester rifle. I went across to him,  
took the rifle from him, and he told me  
he had no ammunition. The Indian  
constable followed the two men up  
Ship Street. I followed also. The  
man in European clothes ran past  
Schooner Street and missed his  
hand at me warning me not to go  
further. The man ran into Schooner  
Street and I lost sight of him after that.  
The other man turned to the right,  
going up some steps to Han Fung Lane.  
I also lost sight of this man. I should  
to Chinese detectives, and two Indians  
to follow the men. At this time I saw  
Sergt. Marriot, of the Dockyard Police,  
and in reply to his enquiries I  
told him 'Armed robbery' and  
also to shoot any robbers he met.  
I returned to Gresson Street and  
when I arrived there the fire engine  
had arrived. I met the C.S.P. and  
went with him to No. 6 Han Fung Lane.  
I saw the dead body of the man who  
was found B332 lying wounded (the man  
is still in Hospital). We went through  
the house into the back yard and found  
the body of B410 lying dead. We  
returned to Ship Street and met Sergt.  
Marriot who reported that he had  
shot a robber. He then took us with  
him to Schooner Street and below the  
verandah of his room No. 3 Hill  
Terrace, just at the back yard of the  
Wanchai branch of the Italian Convent,  
I saw the dead body of the robber  
dressed in European clothes. We saw  
four revolvers and 86 rounds of am-  
munition removed from the dead  
body. I returned then with  
the C. S. P. to Gresson Street.  
It was then a few minutes after  
12 noon. When I arrived shooting was  
still going on at the ground floor of  
No. 6. After staying there for a short  
time I went to the telephone but soon  
returned to Gresson Street. I saw  
Inspector Gresson Street when Revenue  
Inspector Watt, and Mr. Ham-  
son, both armed, came out of  
No. 6 Gresson Street carrying out  
Kwong Sang, who was wounded.  
Shots were still being fired from  
the ground floor of No. 6, at this time  
H. E. The Governor arrived. I saw  
Inspector Watt and the C. S. P. go  
upstairs into the house and soon after  
saw the witness Sun Ying, brought out  
of the house, and another woman and  
a child. They were all taken to No. 2  
Police Station. About 1.30 p.m. H. E.  
The Governor, and others, including  
myself, went up to the first floor of  
No. 6. We looked into the cubicle  
at the back of the house where the  
bodies of Inspector O'Sullivan and  
Sergt. Clarke lay. After a little  
while we all returned downstairs  
into the street, without removing  
the bodies. H. E. The Governor,  
the C. S. P. and others went to  
the ground floor of the house and  
spoke in Chinese to one of the  
robbers who had shut himself in  
the kitchen and was firing. Major  
Robertson came on the scene at this  
moment and after a discussion two  
bombs were thrown into the kitchen.  
The kitchen was then entered and the  
robber was found inside, wounded, with  
a revolver in his grasp. He was carried  
out and taken to the hospital where he  
died.

Prisoner made a long statement  
describing what took place in the house,  
but said he did not see the police  
officers shot. He was wounded in the  
chest and he went away.

The Magistrate committed the  
prisoner for trial at the Criminal  
Sessions on the 18th inst.

## THE HAPPY VALLEY TRAGEDY.

### TELEGRAM OF SYMPATHY FROM SIR FREDERICK LUGARD.

The Colonial Secretary forwards  
us a copy of a telegram which has  
been received from Sir F. J. D.  
Lugard, G.C.M.G., C.B., D.S.O.,  
sent from Lagos, on the 5th inst.  
to H. E. The Governor reading—  
"Deeply grieved to hear of dis-  
aster. Please convey sympathy  
Chinese sufferers."

## THE HONGKONG GYMKHANA CLUB.

The Annual Meeting of the Gymkhana  
Club was held yesterday, March 6th.  
The Accounts, showed receipts and  
payments closely approximating to last  
year's figures. In addition to \$2,000  
voted to War Charities at the last an-  
nual meeting, \$7,000 has been paid to  
various Funds during the year, the  
contributions of winners of sweeps  
amounting to \$2,000. There is a  
balance in hand at present amounting to  
\$3,192.04 and out of this it was resolved  
to remit \$2,000 to St. Dunstan's Home  
for "Blinded Soldiers" and \$900 to the  
Blue Cross Fund, carrying forward the  
remainder.

In proposing the adoption of the  
accounts, the Chairman remarked  
"You will notice that the amount  
usually given for the Gymkhana Club  
Cup at the official meeting of the Jockey  
Club does not appear in the accounts,  
for reasons of which we are only too  
painfully aware, and I know that the  
members of this Club will unite in an  
expression of the deepest sympathy  
with the relatives and friends of those  
who lost their lives in the terrible  
calamity last Tuesday."



## TELEGRAMS.

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## HUGE AMERICAN ORDNANCE BASE IN FRANCE.

Washington, Mar. 5. The United States War Department announces the establishment of a large ordnance base in France, the construction of which will cost \$25,000,000.

The base will comprise 20 large store houses, twelve large workshops and 100 smaller shops and magazines. It will require 450 officers and 16,000 men to maintain. Its construction was begun several weeks ago, after a great part of the material and equipment had arrived in France.

## AMERICA'S AIRCRAFT PROGRAMME.

Washington, Mar. 5. The War Department has asked Congress for a further \$450,000,000 for the aircraft programme, in addition to the \$640,000,000 already authorised.

## ARGENTINE AND THE WAR.

Buenos Aires, Mar. 5. The El Diario states that President Figueroa has resolved to conduct the Argentine international policy in a manner still more favourable to the Allies and devoting the available resources of the country to their support.

## RUMANIANS ACCEPT ARMISTICE CONDITIONS.

London, Mar. 5. A German official message states: The Rumanians have accepted the armistice conditions.

## THE BRITISH EMBASSY STAFF FROM PETROGRAD.

London, Mar. 5. "Reuter" learns that the staff of the British Embassy at Petrograd has arrived at Helsinki.

## TURKEY AND THE RUMANIAN NEGOTIATIONS.

Amsterdam, Mar. 5. A message from Constantinople states that the Grand Vizier has gone to Bukharest to participate in the peace negotiations.

## THE HITACHI-MARU'S ENCOUNTER WITH THE "WOLF".

London, Mar. 6. The Nippon Yusen Kaisha learns that the rider Wolf shelled and captured the Hitachi Maru on September 26, 1917.

Fourteen of the crew and two Indian passengers were killed. Four Asiatics, among the passengers, were transferred to the Igozmeni.

## A NORWEGIAN PROTEST TO BRITAIN.

Copenhagen, Mar. 4. The Norwegian Government has protested to the British Government against the alleged capture of a German steamer, within territorial waters.

## SHIPPING CONTROVERSIES SETTLED.

London, Mar. 5. The Daily Chronicle states that the shipping controversies between Norway and Great Britain have been settled and an agreement has been reached between Norway and the United States on the various outstanding questions.

## PROMOTION FOR PRINCE ALBERT.

London, Mar. 6. Prince Albert has been promoted to the rank of Lieutenant in the Navy.

## OBITUARY.

London, Mar. 6. The death is announced of Mr. Duncan MacKinnon, the ex-Chairman of the British India Steam Navigation Company, Ltd.

## THE SILVER MARKET.

London, Mar. 6. Silver is fully steady.

## THE IRISH UNIONIST PARTY.

London, Mar. 5. Sir Edward Carson has been re-elected Chairman of the Irish Unionist Party.

## THE IRISH CONVENTION.

London, Mar. 5. The Daily News states that the report of the Irish Convention may be issued during the next week, together with the Government's proposals for a settlement. It is hoped to create an atmosphere favourable to a settlement by compromise.

The Daily Telegraph states that an effort is being made to interest Members of Parliament in a project to establish a federal system in the United Kingdom in the event of the failure of the Irish Convention.

## THE ORDER OF ST. MICHAEL AND ST. GEORGE.

London, Mar. 5. The King has decided that the annual service of the Order of St. Michael and St. George shall not be held this year.

## EARLIER TELEGRAMS.

## THE RUSSO-GERMAN PEACE TREATY.

## THE TERMS TO A CONQUERED NATION.

Amsterdam, Mar. 4.

Berlin officially issues the text of the peace treaty between Germany, Austria-Hungary, Bulgaria and Turkey on the one hand and Russia on the other.

Article 1 stipulates that the contracting parties shall live henceforth in peace and friendship.

Article 2. The contracting parties shall refrain from all agitation and provocation against the existence of the Government or the State and spare the populations of the occupied regions.

Article 3. The regions lying west of the line agreed upon by the contracting parties formerly belonging to Russia shall be no longer under Russian territory. This line in the West shall be fixed by a mixed Russo-German Commission.

The regions in question will have no obligation whatever towards Russia arising from former relations. Russia refrains from all interference in international affairs in these territories and allows Austria and Germany to determine their future fate in agreement with their populations.

Article 4. Austria and Germany undertake, that when a general peace is concluded and Russian demobilisation fully carried out, to evacuate the regions east of the line in Article 3, so far as Article 6 does not stipulate otherwise. Russia will completely evacuate the Anatolian provinces as soon as possible and return these to Turkey. The districts of Erzurum, Batoum and Kar will likewise be evacuated by Russia without delay. Russia will not interfere in reorganisations of constitutional and international conditions of these districts, but leaves these to the populations thereof in agreement with the neighbouring states, particularly Turkey.

Article 5. Russia will not delay to demobilise completely, including the newly-formed forces, and to transfer warships to Russian harbours, leaving them there until general peace or to immediately disarm them. Warships hostile to the Quadruplice will be treated as Russian in so far as within Russian control. The removal of mines in the Baltic and in so far as Russian power extends in the Black Sea, will be begun immediately. Commercial shipping in these waters is free and will be immediately resumed. Mixed Commissions will fix further regulations, especially as regards merchant-ships' routes, which must be kept permanently free of floating mines.

Article 6. Russia undertakes immediately to conclude peace with Ukraine and to recognise the peace treaty between Ukraine and the Quadruplice; to evacuate Ukraine immediately and cease agitation or propaganda against the Government and public institutions of Ukraine; to evacuate without delay Estonia and Livonia. The eastern frontier of Estonia follows the line of the Narva river and the eastern frontier of Livonia runs through Lake Peipus and Lake Pskoff to the south-west corner of Lake Luban in the direction of Lavenhof on the Dvina. Estonia and Livonia will be occupied by a German police force until security is guaranteed and order restored. Russia guarantees to release all arrested Estonians and Livonians and guarantees the safe return of deported Estonians and Livonians.

## BEST MEDICINE MADE.

A better medicine cannot be made than Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It relieves the lungs, opens the secretions, aids expectoration and assists nature in restoring the system to a healthy condition. Besides, it contains no opiates and is perfectly safe in use. For sale by all Chemists and Storekeepers.

## ASSOCIATION OF EXPORTERS AND DEALERS.

London, Mar. 5. The annual general meeting of the above Association was held to-day at 4 p.m. in the Chamber of Commerce Room. Mr. W. A. Hannibal presided.

The Chairman said:—Gentlemen, the report and accounts having been in your hands for some time I will with your permission follow the usual custom and take them as read. The Export trade of this Colony during the past year has been carried on under ever-increasing difficulties and many questions appertaining thereto have been dealt with by your committee. As you will find out in the report, of course, the greatest difficulty and handicap has been the tonnage question, and whilst buyers have been prepared to pay prices demanded, it has been in many cases impossible to ship owing to no space being available. This, I am sorry to say, has been aggravated by some firms obtaining, or attempting to obtain, space by underhand methods which I need not detail, as any firm having been guilty of that practice will know all about it without me going further. The matter was brought to the attention of your committee who took steps to try to find out and cope with the unusual situation, and it was suggested that we should have the consular authorities, viz. of space being distributed by the committee of the Shipping Companies or by this Association, or the Chamber of Commerce, pro rata—that is that the tonnage available by a certain steamer should be handed over for distribution and ships, on application, would be allotted space fairly, and according to what they had been in the habit of shipping over a given period. Your committee fully recognize the difficulties, but I am sorry to say that it has not come to it would at all events secure just treatment for all, which is the object of this Association, and your new Committee will continue to give this matter their earnest attention until such invidious methods of trading are stamped out. In doing this, I feel confident that they will have the support of at least the great majority of members if not all. Suggestions have been made as to the advisability of trying to secure the services of the Association could inspect and pack their goods under personal supervision, and where they could, if they desired, secure the services of an Export to examine and report upon any particular articles which the shippers might not consider themselves thoroughly familiar with or to receive mutual assistance in deciding cases where one might feel a little uncertain as to whether the goods tendered constituted a fair delivery under contract. I consider this a question regarding which much is to be said for and against, and I just mention the suggestion as put forward, and your committee will be very glad to have any idea from members of the subject, which will be presented to the committee at all times welcome suggestions upon any matter which is likely to be beneficial to the particular business in which we are engaged, and I hope members will make full use of the Association's facilities in this connection.

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## THE BRITISH AND FOREIGN BIBLE SOCIETY.

Annual Public Meeting.

The annual public meeting of the local auxiliary of the British and Foreign Bible Society was held at the Helena May Institute yesterday evening, at 5.30 p.m.

The Bishop of Victoria, Dr. LINDER, presided and with him were the Rev. Dr. Pearce, LL.D., the Rev. A. L. Warnshuis, of Amoy, Dr. H. Gordon Thompson M.D., of Yunnanfu, and the Rev. H. E. Anderson.

The proceedings were opened by the singing of a hymn, a short prayer and the Bishop read the first few verses of the Epistle to the Hebrews.

The Bishop then announced that apologies had been received from Mr. H. Sykes, the Hon. Treasurer, and Mr. W. M. Humphreys, who were unavoidably absent.

The Bishop then called upon Dr. Pearce to read the Report.

Dr. Pearce said that the reading of the Report at the Public Meeting was a departure from the usual practice, as there had been no opportunity of previously placing the Report in the hands of subscribers. Copies of the Report would be handed to them in a short time.

Dr. Pearce then read the Report as follows:—

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In reading the Treasurer's report of the Accounts, Dr. PEARCE said he thought they need not be read in detail. He pointed out that the total sum collected by the Hongkong Auxiliary last year was \$2,074.88, an advance of \$338.95 on the previous year's collections. In Churches, \$734.46 was collected which was \$173.55 better than the previous year. Dr. Pearce said he would like to point out, on behalf of the Hon. Treasurer, what he regarded as a distinctly encouraging feature for the future—the fact that there were 23 contributing Churches last year, as compared with 15—the year before. He thought that the Hongkong Auxiliary should do all it could to extend the work of the auxiliaries in the Churches, which are more remote, but connected with Hongkong as a factor. The amount collected by the Ladies Committee—\$1,275.70—was larger by \$236.67 than the year before; a fact, he submitted, which was sufficient testimony of the zeal and ardour of the Ladies Committee in their work for the Society.

THE BISHOP OF VICTORIA then said he had the privilege of proposing that the Report and statement of accounts be adopted. In doing so, he said they lived in times when everything that could be shaken was being shaken and a great many things had been shaken never to recover, but God's Word would never be shaken or pass away, and the demands for the Bible were never more keen than to-day. There was no Society, he supposed, that was doing more to satisfy that demand than the British and Foreign Bible Society. That Society supplied copies of the Scriptures in 672 languages and demands were being met from all parts of the world, even in Germany and also in Constantinople, where there is an Anglican clergyman who is the Agent of the Society—Mr. T. R. Hodson. In China, as they would hear from the gentlemen who were to lecture, there is a very great demand for the Scriptures. The Report which had just been read was, in many ways, very satisfactory, and he could not help but pay his tribute to the memory of the late Rev. N. C. Pope, who was so zealous for the Society. He collected more than anybody else, and he gave more than anybody else, comparatively, out of his slender resources. He loved the Society. He worked for it always, so that Hongkong should contribute more. The Bishop appealed for a special effort during the coming year, so that they might increase their contributions. Hongkong was a very rich Colony, he said, and two or three thousand dollars was not really a very large amount for Hongkong. They could do a great deal better than that. Why should they not send \$3,000 this year? He was sure it could be done. All they had to do was to take the example of the late Mr. Pope.

In introducing the Rev. A. L. Warnshuis, the Bishop said that that gentleman was in Hongkong in connection with Dr. Sherwood Eddy's evangelistic mission and he would tell them some interesting things about the Society.

The Rev. A. L. Warnshuis said it afforded him great pleasure to have the opportunity of being there to second the first resolution, and to help them to realise the work the Society was doing and had done during the year. As the Chairman had said, the world was being shaken as never before. They were living in times that were truly more momentous than they could calculate. He had only recently returned from America where he was able to see something of what was taking place at home, of the great movements and the great organisations in order more effectively to do what could be done and in order to take on powers such as they had never dreamed of, in controlling food and other necessities, and learning the lessons their Allies had taught them. During the few months since America had entered the war, she had done things as could never have been dreamed of as being possible. Labour had been organised in a way that would never have been thought possible. Ships had been built more rapidly than ever before. Men had devoted their lives, even to the death in order to make the world free. They felt that they must either bury the Declaration of Independence or fight for it; that was the spirit in their friends at home. Men had given their lives that they might enjoy those ideals and we could only show ourselves worthy of those things that had been given by giving our own lives to service. As had been said, they were fighting to make the world safe for democracy. They were not fighting to make America great, but to serve the world. They were no longer divided into sections, they had become one great unity. Continuing the speaker said that China must also be made safe. The struggle in which they were engaged was not merely on the Western front. That was only one centre; there was another in China in which the world struggle was centering in a very real way. If they were to make the world safe for democracy, it must mean that China must be made safe. It must mean that they must unite in the struggle to serve China. China must be made strong and great in order that the world may be safe. The speaker proceeded to point out the changes which had taken place in China, as indicated by the Chinese newspapers, reports of the various discussions by leading men. A few years ago, these discussions referred to the desire to strengthen the Army and Navy in order that China might be mighty among the great Powers. Their name the desire for industrial development in order that China might be strong in her wealth. Then came the revolution, followed by a great outcry for universal education, in order that this new Republic might be fully qualified for its duties. But, as a man in Peking who had come from the best University in the United States, remarked, education had not given China moral character. They needed the Lord Jesus Christ. Concluding, the speaker referred

to the progress Christianity was making in China, pointing out that it was only a few years ago that in the Boxer rising an attempt was made to wipe out Christianity, whilst now, in all parts there were numerous educated Chinese who regularly attended the Y.M.C.A. and other institutions for Bible study; men in high positions in Government Service and men in the highest of the lowest, in order that they might learn more deeply the great truths contained in the Bible.

Dr. H. GORDON THOMPSON of Yunnanfu, then addressed the meeting and in the course of his remarks related some very interesting experiences of missionary work in the mountainous regions of Yunnan. He described the difficulties of travelling from one village to another and the great sacrifices that were self-imposed by missionaries, in order to supply the various tribes with translated copies of portions of the Bible. The Doctor related the details of a precarious journey, lasting many days, which he himself undertook to relieve the sufferings of a missionary who had been stricken with typhus fever. The journey, and the speaker, necessitated a series of marches from one village to another, miles away from civilisation, sleeping on the hard floor of native huts, and eating hard on native food. He said that when people often referred to missionaries as having a jolly good time, but he could assure them that they could have no idea of the self-inflicted hardships that are cheerfully undertaken in order to make the Bible known. The speaker gave instances to show how this work was appreciated and how the growing demand for more copies of translated portions of the Bible was being adequately met by the British and Foreign Bible Society. Dr. Thompson concluded his address by giving an interesting account of the work in the Lepers' hospital in Peking, and emphasising the need for subscriptions to enable the society to meet the ever growing demands made upon it.

Dr. Thompson then proposed the re-election of Dr. Pearce as Hon. Secretary of Hongkong Auxiliary for the coming year. The Rev. Mr. Anderson seconded and the motion was carried. The Committee for the coming year was then elected, with power to add to its number, as follows:—The Clergyman of St. John's Cathedral, The Union Church, St. Peter's, St. Andrew's and the Wesleyan Methodist Church. The Naval and Military Chaplains serving in Hongkong, Major A. T. Walmsey, Mr. W. N. Humphreys, Mrs. Dowbiggin, Miss Fletcher, Mrs. D. Wood, Mrs. Hutchings, Mrs. Kemp, Mrs. Robinson and Mr. Harry Sykes, (Hon. Treasurer).

Dr. Pearce expressed thanks for the use of the Institute, and after a short prayer, the meeting terminated.

In view of the recent disaster at the Happy Valley the Committee of the Lusitanian Recreation Club has decided not to hold their annual athletic meeting this year.



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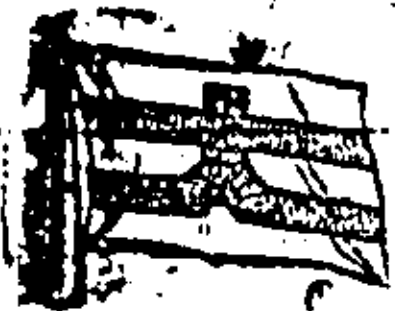
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